



### PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For-

DEVELOPER CARRIER, DEVELOPING DEVICE, IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

AND COMPUTER SYSTEM

# AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 25, 2005. Also, please amend the claims as attached.

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